

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Chairman;
Mark Acton, Vice Chairman;
Tony Hammond; and
Nanci E. Langley

Institutional Cost Contribution
Requirement for Competitive Products

Docket No. RM2017-1

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR ACCESS

(February 3, 2017)

On January 27, 2017, United Parcel Service, Inc. (UPS) filed a motion pursuant to 39 C.F.R. §§ 3001.21 and 3007.40 requesting access to the non-public versions of two redacted documents filed by the Postal Service in this docket on January 23, 2017.¹ The Motion includes a list of outside counsel and consultants and certifications for each. Motion, Exhibit 1; Notice, Exhibit 1; Notice, Certifications File.

UPS states its intent to use the non-public materials “to assist it in making informed reply comments regarding the appropriate minimum contribution of competitive

¹ United Parcel Service, Inc.’s Motion for Access to Nonpublic Materials Filed Under Seal by the United States Postal Service, January 27, 2017, at 1 (Motion); Notice of United Parcel Service, Inc.’s Filing of Certifications of Compliance with Protective Conditions, January 30, 2017 (Notice). UPS filed the certifications in a separate file accompanying the Notice. (Notice, Certifications File). UPS seeks access to the non-public versions of the initial comments of the Postal Service, as well as the supporting analysis which the Postal Service filed separately. Motion at 1.

products to the Postal Service's institutional costs." Motion at 1-2. The Postal Service has not opposed the Motion.

It is ordered:

1. The United Parcel Service, Inc.'s Motion for Access to Nonpublic Materials Filed Under Seal by the United States Postal Service, filed on January 27, 2017, is granted, and access is hereby given to the non-public materials for use in Docket No. RM2017-1 during the pendency of the proceedings.
2. Effective upon issuance of this Order, the outside counsel and consultants covered by the Motion are each granted access to the non-public materials.

By the Commission.

Stacy L. Ruble
Secretary